

**SASSI - Sample**

If a statement tends to be TRUE for you, fill in the square in the column headed T; that is,  
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 If a statement tends to be FALSE for you, fill in the square in the column headed F; that is,  
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 Please try to answer all questions.

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| <b>T</b> | <b>F</b> | Fill in this way. ■ |
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- PEOPLE GENERALLY LIKE TO HELP OTHERS\*
- I THINK THERE IS SOMETHING WRONG WITH MY MEMORY \*
- I HAVE NOT LIVED THE WAY I SHOULD
- SOMETIMES I HAVE A HARD TIME SITTING STILL
- MY FATHER USUALLY IGNORED ME WHEN I WAS A CHILD
- I LIKE TO OBEY THE LAW \*
- I FREQUENTLY FEEL NAUSEATED \*
- MY SCHOOL TEACHERS HAD SOME PROBLEMS WITH ME \*
- MUCH OF MY LIFE IS UNINTERESTING \*
- I BREAK MORE LAWS THAN MANY PEOPLE \*
- I HAVE NEVER BEEN IN TROUBLE WITH THE POLICE.
- I HAVE NEVER BROKEN A MAJOR LAW \*
- I HAVE USED ALCOHOL OR "POT" TOO MUCH OR TOO OFTEN
- MOST PEOPLE WOULD LIE TO GET WHAT THEY WANT
- AT TIMES I HAVE BEEN SO FULL OF PEP THAT I FELT I DIDN'T NEED SLEEP FOR DAYS AT A TIME
- I TAKE ALL MY RESPONSIBILITIES SERIOUSLY \*
- I AM USUALLY HAPPY \*
- I HAVE HAD A DRINK FIRST THING IN THE MORNING TO STEADY MY NERVES OR GET RID OF A HANGOVER

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For each item below, circle the number which reflects how often you have experienced the situation described.

The numbers below represent the following categories:

0 = Never    1 = Once or Twice    2 = Several Times    3 = Repeatedly

**ALCOHOL**

0 1 2 3 1. HAD DRINKS WITH LUNCH?

0 1 2 3 4. HAD MORE TO DRINK THAN YOU INTENDED TO?

0 1 2 3 7. BECOME DEPRESSED AFTER HAVING SOBERED UP?

0 1 2 3 10. EXPERIENCED BROKEN RELATIONSHIPS (E.G., LOSS OF FRIENDS, SEPARATION, DIVORCE, ETC.) BECAUSE OF DRINKING?

**OTHER DRUGS**

- 0 1 2 3 1. TAKEN DRUGS TO "EXPAND YOUR CONSCIOUSNESS" (E.G., THOUGHTS, FEELINGS, IDEAS)?
- 0 1 2 3 4. TAKEN DRUGS TO ENHANCE SEXUAL PERFORMANCE OR ENJOYMENT?
- 0 1 2 3 7. GOTTON INTO TROUBLE WITH THE LAW BECAUSE OF DRUGS?
- 0 1 2 3 10. SPENT YOUR SPARE TIME IN DRUG-RELATED ACTIVITIES (E.G., TALKING ABOUT DRUGS, BUYING, SELLING, TAKING, ETC.)?
- 0 1 2 3 13. FELT YOUR DRUG USE HAS KEPT YOU FROM GETTING WHAT YOU WANT OUT OF LIFE?